

The football season began on Moscow's outdoor football fields, with the Central Army Club winning match against its old rival—Moscow Dynamo, 1—0.

Photo by Vitaly Biagodarov and Andrei Golovanov

SOVIET FOOTBALL TEAM WARMS UP FOR WORLD CUP

a short practice session in the warm-up for soveral friendites in Argentina where we are flying on April 11, Konstantin Beskov, Soviet team chief coach, told a TASS correspondent. On April 14, he continued, we'll take on Argentina and two days later we will most a club team. The

games will be useful in our preparations for the World Cup finals starting on June 13 in Spain. Certainly, changes could be made to this schedule, he continued, since recruits to the team will have to play in the national championship, while Thilisi Dynamo will clash with Belgian Standard in the Cup Holders Cup first semifinals leg. GDR, Sweden and Finland.

To facilitate World Cup orenarations the national cup semitinals between Klev Dynamo and Tuilisi Dynamo, which provide the mainslay of the national side, will now take place on

In the run-up to the finals in Spain, he stressed, the USSR will play (riendies with the

COULD THEY DO THE TRICK?



place will now have to the or win one of the two punishing games versus defending cham-pions Romania on May 9 in Bucharest and many-time title hold-ers France on May 23 in Moscow, in three previous championships the USSR, twice bronze meracing season was over, Viktor Shasherin, a 20-year-old student from Alma-Ata, made a jastdallists, pulled off not a single win or draw facing these oppominute correction in the table of the world's records. Taking part in the USSR Cup at the Medeo skating rink, he set up a The USSR made its first league debut led by coach Yevgeny new world record in the com-

Photo TASS

The 19th national rughy cham-Antonov, who coaches six-time national champions, the Yuri Gaplonship with 12 teams vying for garin Air Force Academy, and the awards has just set out; the came a creditable third, in the intervening years the Soviet Union has nearly caught up with season will be a very laxing one for the national side as it faces a nearly impossible task of avoiding relegation from the European Romania and the French and only firs' league championship which insufficient top-level international got underway back last antumn exposure, according to Antonov, has deterred the side from doing and will have spanned nearly half a year.
The USSR draw with Italy in still better in the 17th European

championship.
Rugby has appreciably gained in popularity in this country, with capacity crowds attending most championship games.
A surprise reshulfle of mana-

gement and composition of the national side last year on the eve of the European champion-ship proved very damaging for it. The current championship is called upon to produce new talent and help quickly restore proli-ciency to the teams which they lost in just a few months last

Alexander BUTSENIN

WEIGHTLIFTING RECORD

The 23-year-old weighliliter from the GDR. Joachim Kunz, performing in the 67.5 kg category in Melssen (GDR) for the eleventh "Blue Swards" compe-

autumn and suffered a autprise

defeat by league newcomers the

FRG, and to retain their league

tition, has established a ne world snatch record of 152.5 kg. He has improved by 2 kg the record established by him last year in Karl-Marx-Sladt.

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Czechoslovakla will face the

USSR in-the "Rude pravo" tour-

nament finals after defeating

Sweden, 4-1, at Hradec-Kra-

New York Islanders have

logether with 15 other clubs

come out on top in the 840-game-long NHL championship.

they will now vie for the Stanley Cup. From among a hundred players of the five outsiders —

Toronto Maple Leaves, Detroit Red Wings, Colorado Rockies, Washington Capitals and Hari-

The USSR leads, 3-2, against

Britain, with three games ad-journed, in the semifinals of a

Tony Miles and Yuri Balashov

and Lev Psakhis and Jonathan

Speelman adjourned their games; Raymond Keene and Ariur Yusu-pov drew; Vladimir Tukmakov

and Jonathan Mestel adjourned

their game; Murray Chandler

beat Oleg Romanishin; Viktor

Kupreichik prevailed over Migel Short; Peter Littlewood went

down to Yevgeny Sveshnikov; and Yevgeny Vasyukov and Shaun Taulbut drew.

The winners of the adjourned games will be decided by third party judges, following thorough analysis. The USSR are sure of

Squibb, the Italian basketball

club from the town of Cantu, has captured the European

west for the district

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Ice hockey

ford Wholers—the Canada and US nationals will be selected

for the world champlonship

Sweden and Finland will also

Shortly before the world

championship gets afoot another 150 players will become avai-

lable after the Stanley Cup 1/8

Alexander Kozhevnikov mada

a hat-trick in the 14-0 defeat of Kreicki by the USSR side in

their first game of an FRG tout.

a win on the second board and

are hoping for thes on the fluit

The Soviet side played in the USSR Central Chess Club building in Moscow, while their oppo-

neuts made their moves in Lon-

don. The games were attended

by representatives of the oppo-

The USSR beat the GDR, 5-3

in the finals of the first such match in 1977-1978, which also

featured competitions for the cur

offered by FIDE and the Interes

tional Correspondence Chess Fa-The second event which stail-

ed in 1981 diew contenders from

11 nations, of which the other

semifinalist pair are the CDR

Winners Cup beating farad's Maccabi, 66—80, in the foot

and Sweden.

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This photo, "Catch Me If You Can", is by Uldis Pale, a ph

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Round the Soviet Union

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THE RECENTLY COM-PLETED AKHTURYAN RESERVOIR WILL IRRIGATE THOUSANDS OF HECTARES OF BARREN LAND

IN THE MOUNTAIN FOOTHILLS AND ALPINE REGIONS OF AR-MENIA. The new lake is one of 15 reservoirs which have to be built in the republic in the next.

O YOUNG PINES HAVE RE-CENTLY BEEN PLANTED AT THE MANGYSHLAK EXPERIMENTAL BOTANICAL GARDENS OF THE ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE KAZAKH SSR, Over the past 15 years or so that this Botanical Gardens has existed on the adgeof the Caspian and of one of the most barren deserts in Kazakh-stan, nearly 60 varielles of trees and shrubs have been added to the flore of the towns and villages of Mangyshiak.

films

The state of the s

Warm welcome

Soviet cinema-goers are giving a warm welcome to recent Hungarkan films at the festival of

Hungarian films, marking the

37th auniversary of the country's

liberation from tascism, which is being held in Moscow, Kiev and

Ordehouskidee, The festival pro-gramme includes the five best movies produced by Hungarian

film makers over recent years,

"Temporary Paradiso" by Andras

Kovaca is about the tragic love

of Jacques, a Frenchman, for a

Hungarion Jewish girl during World War II, "Metisto", a screen version of Klaus Mann's

novel, by the well-known direc-

for Islam Scabo, deals with the life of a jalented actor in the

fescist Germany. This joint Hun-garian-West Berlin production

won an Oscar. The police thrif-ler "Pagan Madonna" centering around the theft of a gold statu-

elle from a museum, was pre-sented to Soviet audiences by

the prominent director, Gyula

Meszoros. Also in the pro-gramme is the adventure movie "A Missing Swode", and "Splint-ers", about the creative endeav-

for Hungarian

At the Vienna talks

Vienna, The 24th round of the negotiations on the mutual reduction of armed forces and armaments in Central Europe has ended here. The closing pleasry session at the Hofburg Palace was addressed by Ambas-sador V. Mikhailov, head of the USSR delegation. USSR delegation.

The following question, the

Soviet diplomat said, is becoming increasingly topical for the Vienna talks: is the deadlock going to be finally broken and an agreement reached here which would serve as a practical start to the process of reducing military potential, or will this matter be intentionally drowned (Continued on page 2)

World Peace Council discusses policy issues

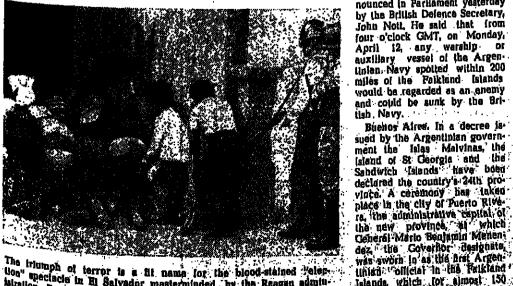
In Moscow, R. Chandra, President of the World Peace Council, recently presided over a consultative meeting of the Council's vice-presidents, with epresentatives from 21 countries

aking part. The delegates discussed vital lisual of the world peace drive in the light of the current international situation as well as wide-scale action by the peaceloving public in connection with the disarmament session of the UN General Assembly and with preparations for the World Congress of Peace Champions scheduled for June 1983, la Prague.

FACTS and EVENTS

© Last year, there were 2,900 labour disputes in Australia involving 1.2 million ployaes, reports the Australian statistics bureau.

FALKLAND CRISIS 1 In France, a total of 2.6 million crimes were committed in 1980, with a rapid growth being noted in severe crime. Belween 1972 and 1980, the ment has declared a "war zone" around the Falkland Islands (Isla Malvinas). This was announced in Farklament yesterday number of ermed robberies alone went up by 150 per cent.



The friumph of terror is a fit name for the blood stained feleption speciacie in Hi Salvador masterminded by the Reagan admituation. By legitimizing the anti-popular regime washington is going all out to suppress the popular drive for freedom and independence in this Central American state.

'A Look at the FRG' from Tallinn

About twenty thousand Tallinners visited the week-long ex-hibition, "A Look at the FRG", held in the Estonian capital. It was organized by the FRG-USSR
Societies Federation and by the
Estonian Society for Friendship
and Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries.

The exhibition (ilustrated the development of relations between our countries, the activity of the FRG-USSR Societies Pederation. and public and home life in the FRG. Photos, reproductions of pictures, books and postcards were on display, included on the exhibition programms were shows of feature and document-ary films from West Germany. A quiz and competitions of children's drawings as well as contests for the best perform-

London, The British govern-

by the British Defence Secretary,

John Nott. He said that from

o'clock GMT, on M

would be regarded as an enemy and could be sunk by the Bri-

Buenos Aires. In a decree is

Islands, which for almost 150 years have been a British

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tish Navy.

ances of German music and a mini-festival of puppet theatres were very popular.

E. Krüger, one of the organizers of the exhibition and a cultural secretary in the FRG-USSR Societies Federation, commented as follows: "We are happy to see the interest displayed towards our country by the Soviet people, and their un-derstanding that people in the FRG as a whole stand for peace and the development of friendly relations. We hope that the exhibition has contributed towards even stronger ties between our two countries."

ours of a designer.

At a press conference organized by Soyuzinformkino, Hungarian film-makers and officials from the Hungarian Ministry of Culture stressed the importance of cooperation in the arts between the two socialist countries and the good prospects of co-operation in film-making.

Alexander DONSKOY

Anatoly Karpov takes on Moscow's diplomats

Karpov recently met a group of diplomatic mission heads and embassy cultural counsellors in a simultaneous games session in Moscow. Of the 15 games he won 14 and drew only one control of the control of against 15-year-old Mauricio Gallardo, son of the Nicaraguan em-bassy counsellor. Irish embassy third counsellor, Adrian McDaid, beld out against him the longest. Before the match began, Karpov told the diplomats he was prining for the World Chass Olympiade, due late in October in

World chess tillist Anatoly

Switzerland, and would also enter for the big international grandmaster tournaments to be held in London in April, in Italy in the summer, and at Tilburg.

Holland, in the autumn.
Asked how long he proposed to play competitive chess, Kar-pov pointed out that usually chess players have a long working life, We remain in the sport for decades rather than years, and hopefully I will still be in the running when I am 50, he

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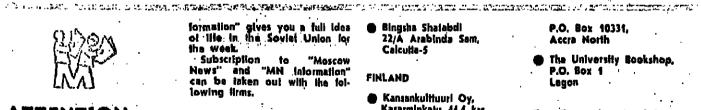
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Analoly Karpov plays simultaneous chess with diplomate

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Appeal by world doctors

London. Delegates from 31 countries attending the Congress of International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War have approved a number of documents. These include an ap-peal to the President of the USSR Supreme Soviet Leonid Brezhnev and to the American President R. Reagan; an appeal to the dele-gates of the second special UN General Assembly session on disarmament; an appeal to the World Health Organization; and an appeal to the physicians of

The appeal to the Soviet and American leaders stresses that top priority should be given to upts to remove the threat of nuclear war, both at internatio-

taken at a national level. To exchide the very thought that nuc-lear weapons could be used in any form and on any scale is an imperative of our time. The authors of the appeal call

on the nuclear powers to stop all production, testing and siting of nuclear weapons and of the means for their delivery as a first step. They also call on the nucfear powers to renounce the use of such weapons and to reach agreement among themselves that the use of such weapons is inadmissible in any conflict. They stand for effective bilateral and multilateral negotiations on limiting, reducing and, eventually on eliminating such weapons.

At the Vienna talks

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in barren discussion by thosewho want to use the talks as a cover-up for entirely different

The draft agreement on the mutual reduction of armed forces and armaments and on the related first-slage measures in Central Europe, proposed by the Pollah delegation in the name of the socialist countries, points the way to achieving real progress at the talks and of overcoming the deadlock. All the necessary components for reaching a mutually acceptable agreement on an equal basis are present in the draft.

Regretfully, during the recent round of talks which has just come to an end, the West has not shown the requisite willing uses to agree to lowering the level of military confrontation and tousion. No businesslike and constructive reply to the Initiastates was forthcoming.

An objective assessment of the present state of the talks, said Mikhailov, would read as follows: all the prerequisites are present to use the proposed draft as a basis for a joint agreement on the first stage. All that is needed is the mutual desire and readiness to achieve

FALKLAND CRISIS GETS WORSE

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Pollowing Britain's decision to introduce a 200-mile war zone around the Falklands, Argentina has announced the setting up of a special operative command in the South Atlantic to counter a possible threat to the country's security. An order has been issued for the partial mobilization of reservists, including among

VIEWPOINT

If has become customary for

America of late to find itself in

Isolation when the most burning

Issues of the day are put to a vote at the UN Security Coun-cil. There is evidence enough

that it is on a collision course

with a clear majority of world nations and of its claims to the

role of suprame arbiter and policemen in world affairs. Such

as the case at a recent Coun-

cil session at which the US valoed draft resolutions urging

a peaceful seffement of con-flicts in Central America and

the Middle East. This is very symptomatic since in both cases washington and its regional hanchment sought to suppress the peoples' right to first document, for instance, nations were urged to retrain from direct, in direct, overtion of covert time at

direct, event of covert the of force egainst may one country in Central America of the Ca.

ribbean. There was seemingly no obvious reason for America to dany its support for the well-known principles of non-intelligence of non-intelligence of all the Edward admi-

others, young people who com-pleted their compulsory military service last year. The conflict between Britain and Argentina was discussed at an emergency meeting of the Argentinian government.

Measures are being taken to strengthen the defences on the Falkland Islands thomselves in expectation of the approach of the British Naval Force

American veto against

self-determination of nations

Meshington's stand betrays its refuctance to recognize in deed the full sovereignly of other nations and their right to

be their own masters. This boils down to the clear intention on the part of America to go on using force or at least to act

from a position of strength and

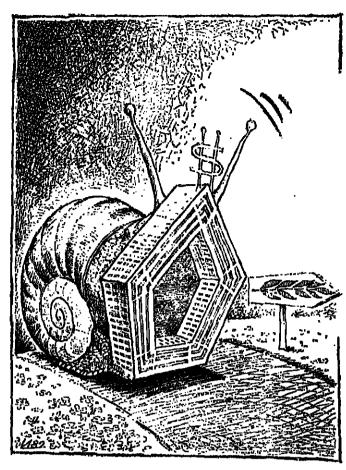
use the CIA and the Pentagon

as the CIA and the Pentagon as the principal tools of its loreign policy, especially in the third world, and to stick to this interventionist line indiscriminately in all regions, the byan delegate A Burvin was making a very perlinent remark when he leid the session that Washington's policy in Central America has a lot in common with its policy in the

common with its policy in the Middle Best and South Africa. Let me be more specific.

The list of accusations Mica-

Yuri GVOZDEV



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TEL AVIV'S

EXPANSIONIST PLANS

Paris. Authorities in Islael

have devised a secret plan aimed at changing the demographic composition of the occupied West Bank of the Jordan and the preparing the ground for the complete apparation of this beautiful that the complete apparation of the complete

complete annexation of this Amb

territory, reports the French "Vendredi, Samedi, Dissache"

According to the magazine, the

plan, masterminded by tstaels Premier Begin and Defence Min-

ister Sharon, aims at setting up

a maximum number of military settlements on the West Bank.
The plan is already well advanced, with 24,000 Israeli settlers already on the West Bank

and many more expected, Te

Aviv actively encourages the colonization of the illegally oc-

cupled Arab territory, by allowing plots of land there to go for

a song and by providing seitlers with low-interest credit Under

the plan, 100,000 colonists are to

be settled in the area by 1984 this number to rise to 1,000,000

by the close of the century.

AN HOUR ON ARMAMENTS

New York, 34 million dollar

will be spent on the arms acc

in the USA every hour over the

next five years according to the

massive bitild-up in the programme for American strategic

arsenals adopted by the Reaga-

udministration, said retired rear-

admirai G. Larocque, director of

At the present time, remarked Gene Larocque, 12,000 American nuclear missile warheads are

targeted at the Soviet Union. The

Pentagon is, however, not sails fied with this and the Reagan

administration is going to add another 17,000 units of nuclear

weapons to its strategic arsena

Managua. April 3 (TASS). The

though the allocations for sgil-culture will soon enable them to

being built and medical service established in the new settle-

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MISKITO INDIANS

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DOLLARS

MOZAMBIQUAN MINISTER FOR SECURITY SPEAKS OUT ON SOUTH AFRICA

Salisbury. The South African secret service is planning a series of sabolage acts against Zimbabwe and Mozambique to destabilize and undermine the economics of these two countries, Mozambiquan Minister for Security J. Veloso told a press conference here. South Africa is making use of economic sabotage, esplonage and political and ideological aubversion to this end, he atressed. The min-

A covert action plan approved by President Reagan refers to

these gangs as "paramilitary formations". The United States

is using the same stratagem against the revolutionary regime in Alghanistan, which has to light off mercenary murderers

operating from Pakistani terri-

Washington is bent on using

own interests.

The same applies to the so-

called multinational forces.

Washington knocked such formations together, in obvious distages of the UN, for the

Sinai peninsula as part of the Camp David deal between it-

sell, Calro and Tel Aviv. A

move was designed, apart from camoullaging its growing military presence in the Middle East, to use the troops of other nations in its potential opera-

ister further said, among other things, that his country's security service had information that groups of terrorists from the antl-Mozambiquan "national resistance movement" were being trained in South Airles to carry out sabolago and subversion against transport communications and the oil pipeline linking the Mozambiquan port of Beira to the town of Umtall, in

Everywhere where popula ilberation movements are gain-ing momentum, the United States is massing armades Hy-ing the stars-and-stripes flag using spy planes to violate

Facing escalating world tension, the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin Amerof Asia, Africa and Latin America are increasingly waking up to the need for viable anti-imperialist solidarity action. They are also aware of the denger arising from moves by the Linited States and its eitles to split up the third world and to writingle its individual members in the Pentagon's global strategy which is obviously allen to the principles of non-alignment.

of the latter's repressive regime under the cover of "in-ter-American peace-keeping forces". Washington has dubbed such tactics "Joint ac-

Government of National Reconstruction of Nicaragua has earmarked 62 million cordobes to speed up the development of agricultural production in the new Miskito Indian settlements The same goes for American efforts to expand the network of its air and naval bases in the third world; significantly enough, the Pentagon prefers in some cases not to build exclusively American hasse bus in the north-west of the country. The government decided to set up these settlements to provide security for the country's indigensecurity for the country's house ous population in the border are with Honduras. Here gangs of former dictator Somoza's follow-ers, based in Honduras, used to carry out rogular raids against the previous indian settlements. clusively American bases but to secure the right to use operetire the right to use operating facilities in any one country, seeking a "national" or "International" cover for its operations. The Pentagon has already put out such feelers in Colombia. Oman, Honduras, Somalia and other nations. the previous indien settlementlooting and killing villagers, and
burning down crops. In one said
alone, late last year, more than
70 people died.

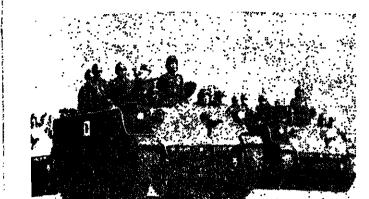
At present, the revolutionary
government provides the indies
with all the food they seed

air space.

Such situations have developed, for Instance, in the Caribbean and the Indian Ocean, and, in particular, in the Persian Guif.

FOR NAZI CRIMINAL Berlin. ADN-TASS. The Serlin city court has sentenced for mer nazi lawyor, H. Calsier to the stripped him of all civis right stripped him of all civis right against humanity.

Gaisler was found guilty of the volvament in the mass murder of anti-fascists between 1941 and 1945. Along with the Geslap and the SS, fascist fudicial bedies, including the so-called emergency courts, were all seems of the naxi dictatorish. THE WORLD



The Japanese army, set up in contravention of this country's constitution under the name of "self-defence forces", is playing an increasingly active part in the nation's politics. The most reactionary quarters of Japan's power structure are keen to prop up the country's economic prop up the country's economic potential by military forces in order that they may talk to their solglibours and trading partners from a position of strength.

in the photos: motorized soitdefeace units parading at a base (left); a warship built by the Mitsubishi Jukogyo Nagasaki shipyards for the National Detence Agency.

Science and technology

PETROL FROM

TANGERINE PEEL

Kyodo Tsushin reports that

work is nearing completion in Japan on the manufacture of fuel derived from the oils con-

tained in tangerine peel. The new fuel is just as efficient as

netrol and can be used for run-

ning cars and motorbikes.

SUSPENSION TRAIN

PROTOTYPE TO BE

IN WEST GERMANY

Work is nearing completion

on a 31.5 km long test route outside Emsland, West Germany.

intended for testing a magnetic

suspension two-section coach capable of attaining speeds of up to 400 km per hour.

The 54.2 m long coach with four two-part sliding doors per side caters for 196 passengers. The coach is equipped with 32 levitation magnets and 28 guiding magnets 1.5 m long each.

The coach can be operated either manually from inside the cabin or via a computer at the

lest centre.

MAGNETIC

TESTED

⊙ Under a new military agreement between the United States and Sudan three Amersouth of the country.

O Over the next three years Reagan administration is planning to axe vital social programmes by at least another 60,000 million dollars, says a national centre for economic allernatives report.

10 The Japanese Ministry of Home Affairs has decided to sack around 7,000 teachers and

O The French franc has fallen

FOOT-AND-MOUTH IN DENMARK

encidence of the disease in Denwark over the past twelve years; emergency measures have been taken to destroy the affected animals and to isolate the farms. The source of contamination has not been identified.

Washington. It has reported here that poiled here that Gen.
Ackernecht, head of the Chilean military mission in Washington, personally took part in the torture and murderpart in the torture and murdering of political prisoners, immediately after the 1973 coup. Cenetal C. Ackernecht was made military governor of the province of Rancagua where one fail was converted into a forture cantre. A former member of Ackernecht's staff says that thousands of particle who opposed Pinochet's fascist dictatorship were subjected to inhuman torture at the centre interior were subjected to in-imman torture at the centre which stood near the governor's residence. The executioners ected on direct orders from the general who repeatedly took

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general's murderous record, they okayed his appointment as head of the military mission in Wash-

OF INTEREST

ANCIENT ORE MINE DISCOVERED IN CHINA

An ancient copper mine, believed to be some 2,700 years old, has tecently been discovered in the south-eastern part of the Hubel Province of Clina, writes the "Archaeological Studies" magazine. Seven shafts and 300 odd tunnels have already been lacated on the slopes of M. Tonglushan and seven smalters unearthed. The

A CABBAGE TO BEAT THEM ALL

A: MAY-BUG THAT IS

Germany, is proud of its mechanical May-bug made some \$60 years ago by an unknown watchmaket. 15 cm long and incorporating many ting parts, it yielded 40 thousand tonnes of moves its wings, pade and ideleta,



FACTS and EVENTS

ican military bases are to be built in Sudan: a naval base north of Port Sudan and two air bases in the South-West and

communal and municipal work-ers in the 1982 fiscal year.

to a record low on the curren-cy markets. The exchange rate for one US dollar is now nearly

© According to the latest figures released in the United States, unemployment there is at its peak since World War II. with nearly nine per cent of the labour force registered out

Copenhagen, Cases of foot-and mouth disease have been re-ported at farms on the Danish island of Funen. This is the first acidence of the disease in Dan-

The outbreak has been re-

Ported to the EEC Commission and to a number of international agencies. A ban has been imposed on all exports of Danish cattle, which is the chief source of foreign currency in Denmark resimaled at two thousand million Danish kroner. This ban threatens Denmark with huge losses and with the loss of markets.

Washington shelters Chilean hangman

continue this summer.

EXCAVATIONS

ON MT YESUVIUS

Italian archaeologists exca-

valing near Vesurius have found the remains of another twenty people who died during an erup-tion of this volcano 19 centuries

ago, writes "The New York Times", More details have thus

been added to what is already

known of the tragedy which

took place here almost two mil-lenniums ago. Before dying peo-ple lay on their backs raising

their hands to their faces trying

to protect themselves from the ashes. A woman was found with a skeleton of a child under-

MUSEUM ON SEABED

The bottom of the bay near

water museum in its own right.

This is the conclusion resched

by Bulgarian archaeologists

who have been exploring the

bay. Their finds—ancient ship

anchors, amphoras and piaces

of sculpture-are now on view

at the museum in the town of

Govarna. The archaeologists'

exploration of the bay will

Kallakra Cape, is an under-

part in "trials by ordeal" and ordered the execution of many of the inmates.
Although the American authorities were well aware of the

ington.

When the general's past activities became public knowledge, the Department of State hasheved to carry out an "independent" anguiry into the charges against him. However, the investigators confused themselves to "consultations" with the Chilesn'. Embassy, where the Chilsen Rmbesty, where they were reasoured that the charges "bad no substance", an explenation which apparently

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Chandulai Chandrakar, General Secretary of the ruling INC Chandidal Chandrakar, General Secretary of the ruling free party, told a NEW TINES correspondent that without peace there can be no further progressive development of India. This is why India expresses solidarily with the peace efforts of the Soviet Union and works with it for the improvement of the world situation. Chandrakar emphasizes that at international forums on all maiters of war and peace india votes jointly with the Soviet Union. Because of this the enemies of Soviet-India internation countries a peace solidary in india Rul this 1800 S. friendship ascribe a pro-Soviet bias to india. But this is not a case of whom one votes will, but, rather, of what one votes

FROM the SOVIET PRESS

AMERICAN MILITARY 'RESERVE' FOR THE FRG

Lev Bezymensky, Bonn correspondent for KRASNAYA ZVEZDA, looks at the military-political aspects of a new US-West German accord authorizing the United States to raise

the number of its occupation forces in the PRG (at present numbering over 200,000) from four to len divisions. The creation of this sort of mobile "reserve" for the FRG,

to stresses, is part of a new Pentagon concept boiling down to the formation of a special "invasion task force".

A similar rapid deployment force for the Persian Guit is al-

ready a reality, and another one is being prepared for Western Europe, as a possible jumping-oil ground, quite likely for another operation by the US military. In fact, the Peniagon might well use it for another of its plays, to namely turn the

FRG into America's nuclear supporter and to ensure its plan for the deployment of new missiles. The agreement is to be-

come allective as from 1943, the same year that NATO's sinister design is to be implemented. Whatever America's intentions, the agreement is a serious step towards the escalation of military tension in Europe, Bezymensky emphasizes. Both signatories should have no Hussians about the reaction the tension will be the control of the serious that the control of the serious that the control of the serious that the s

the agreement will produce among all those wedded to the cause of peace in Europe, he points out.

Can dectors—who are called upon to protect life on earth—stand killy by and watch while others try and suppress in man

us instinct for self-preservation, those samo people who are

determined to conceal the truth about the very real danger of thermonuclear weapons? This question is answered in the negative by Yovgeny Chazov, Chaliman of the Soviet Committee of Physicians for Prevention of Nuclear War, writing to the SOVIETSKAYA ROSSIYA newspaper.

Calculations show that in case of nuclear war a great

number of people would the in Europe alone, while those who

remained alive would envy those who were dead. If would be impossible to give the requisite medical attention to the tens of thousands of casualties and people suffering from burns and

the effects of indiation. As distinct from any other weapon,

nuclear urms have long radioactive memories.
Long-term cadoactive tall-out from numerous nuclear ex-

Emergency measures taken by the British leadership in connection with the deteriorating situation over the Fulkland Is-

lands (Islas Malytnas) are commented on by TASS political ob-

server, V. Sorov. He writes in part that Mrs Thatcher's hasty

introduction of a state of emergency amounts to yet more proof that the British Conservatives, who moves tire of reading fectures on the "advantages" of the British democracy, have a

special inclination towards the use or torce in solving interval

hypocrisy who flercely opposed the imposition of martial law in December 1981, in Poland, although this measure of the

country's government was introduced in conformity with Po-land's constitution and was taken due to the dire necessity of

averling a counter-revolutionary coup, of defending the country's national security and the existing state system in Poland.
British politicians, including Mrs Thatcher, followed Washing-

ton at the time in raising a hullabaloo about "the suppression of treedoms and human rights in Poland". Now the British gov-

ernment bypasses its own parliament by resorting to emer-

THE USSR AND INDIA: INSEVERABLE

Secondly, it is proof once again of the present British rulers'

plasion, would make vast tracts of the earth uninhabital

NO PLACE FOR DOUBLE STANDARDS

IN POLITICS

as well as external conflicts.

NUCLEAR WEAPONS HAVE LONG

RADIOACTIVE MEMORIES

The magazine points out that activities dedicated to the 35th The magazine points out that activities desirated to the same aniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the USSR and India, due on April 13, are now in progress all over the country. The handshake of the two great peoples, sealed by a community of spirit and by their common concern for peace, inseverable. This idea finds embodiment at the meetings, seminars and railies being held in cities

HANDSHAKE

This photograph of a glant cabbage, weighing 24 kilos, ap-peared in the West German Bunte" magazina.

360 YEARS OLD A museum in Kassel, West



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ragua has leutched against washington is vary indicative of the latter's arm-iwisting foreign policy lacks. For instance, the CIA and the Pentagon are training thousands of marcanaries in apacial camps he Florida and Honduras for their subsetions in the region. The Reagen administration is doing likewise in Central America and the Caribbean, seeking to leunch a direct intervention in Nicategua and in El Salvador in support alignment,

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A IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO RESTRICT ALL NEW CON-STRUCTION IN OLD SOVIET CITIES AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE IN ORDER TO PRESERVE THEIR HISTORICAL APPEARANCE. The reconstruction of old cities was discussed by architects at a meeting in the city of Kostroma, north-east of Moscow. Such cities are to be re-built according to plans which pay cardid aliention to the historical and architectural heritage.

THIS YEAR MORE THAN HALF A MILLION CHILDREN WILL SPEND THEIR HOLIDAY IN YEVPATORIA, ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR RESORTS FOR CHILDREN ON THE BLACK SEA COAST OF THE CRIMEA. On March 24, the city's municipal council mot to discuss the forthcoming summer season. Nearly a hundred houlth centres have been built in the city for children. This is an area famous for its great number of sunny days in summer, for its splendid beaches and medicinal spas and muds. In summer, the resert will also hast children from the European socialist countries.

THE NEW EDITION OF "THE RED DATA BOOK" OF RARE ANIMALS AND PLANTS IN THE SOVIET UNION IS TO INCLUDE INSECTS FOR THE FIRST TIME. Their numbers on the planet are declining. The "Book", which is being complied by Soviet scientists, will include butterilles, dragonilles, grasshoppers, bumble and wild bees. Ten insect preserves have already been set up in this

The Evenki National Area the most spaisely populated re-gion in the USSR, with only 10,000 people inhabiting its 767,000 square kilometres.

In isarist days the yest taign fracts on the right bank of the Siberian Yenisci River, not far from the Polar Circle, enjoyed the reputation of being a godforsoken backwater.

Today the nomad camps of the past have given way to mohospitals and kindergartens. Air services connect the Tura settlement, the area centre, and the Balkit district centre with the rest of our country, while heli-copter communication is mainlained with out-of-the-way reindeor ranchers' slies. An Orbita TV station built near the area centre enables the residents of Tura and nearby settlements to watch Moscow telecasts.



A MI-6 helicopter carrying equipment for geologists.

A LAND CROSSED BY THE POLAR CIRCLE

Under Soviet power the Evenks have developed their own written language; at present the area has 29 general education schools providing in-struction for over 3,000 Evenki,

Yakut and Russian children. Pur trapping and reindeer

berian sable.

trades of the area, which accounts for 15 per cent of the Oil was first struck in Even nationwide production of Sikia ja November 1973, aud prospecting has been gaining The development of the area's momentum ever since, A specia mineral wealth started only re-Evenki oil prospecting expedi-tion has been set up to this end. cently, with oil and gas pros-



The Osiktakan Evenki folk song and dance group going through their paces.

SIBERIAN GAS ON THE MOVE

Soviet experts are planning to ccelerate the construction rate of the large-diameter gas pipelites running from Western Sibe-USSR by equipping the pipelines with 25 megawatt pumping plants. Leningrad factories have elready started preparations for their full-scale production.

Yuri Korsov, one of the designers of the new machines, explains their advantages as consisting in a considerable (up to 60 per cent) labour savings in the construction of gas pumping stations on gas mains. It will now be possible to run each such station on only three 25-niegawatt plants instead of on eight

10-megawatt plants as before. The construction of compressor stations is the most complex and expensive part of gas pipeline

Trials carried out on the first three proiotype machines manu-factured in Leningrad have shown their high efficiency: 1.5 per cent up on the efficiency le-

vels of plants manufactured under the licence of General Electric. This will make it possible to make turbines less metal consuming. Another advantage of the new equipment is that it is possible to fit out the plants with compressors, to increase pressure in the pipes to hundred instead of to 76 atmospheres as at present.

INDUSTRY **ADVANCES** IN ARMENIA The Taley and Shamb power stations have produced 5,000 mil

POWER

llon kWh since coming into operation in Armenla.

The powerful Vorotan chain high up in the Zangezur Mountains is feeding power to mining projects and agrofacilities in the rapidiy developing region. The Spandaryan station, due to join the two operating stations in the current five-year plan period, will markedly improve the power supply of the republics these areas located nearly 3,000 m above sea level.

High rates is a salient feature of development of the power ladustry in Armenia in the litt struction of the existing stations, the coming into full opera tion of the Armenian nuclea plant and the Shamb hydrosta-tion will help produce 16,000 million kWh in the republic thready in 1985.

KAZAKMSTAN'S

GARDENS

ALPINE

Kanalinston's biggest zone d alpane: vardens and vineyard is being set up to the northern Tren Shan torotalls. This belt of gardens and vineyards tuns for across the territory of three southern regions and will meet the requirements not only of the population of Kazakhstan but also those of the people in the Urals, and in Eastern and Western Siberia.

Research and many years of experience have proved that the northern Tien Shan foothills are bleal for non-irrigated vineyards The mountain vineyards at the Michurin vine state farm, in the Chimkent Region, for example, remain uncovered throughout the winter. About 20 tonnes of grapes per hoctare are collected here at costs twice as low as

those of valley vineyards.
In Kazakhstan where irrigals lands are reserved for grain and vegetables, they are seatch-ing for new sites for garden and vineyards in the foothills. on mountain slopes and in still areas. Thirty thousand hectare of such land has been located and large gardens and vineyards are being planted here.

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GIANT DEPOSITS

The Kensk-Achinsk fuel and power complex is the tichest coal deposit in our country, writes SOTSIALIST-ICHESKAYA INDUSTRIYA, It comprises the Borodinsky. Nazarovsky and the purity experimental Berezovsky brown coal. Over the current live-year period (1981-85) It is planned to boost production at the complex by another 21,000,000 tonnes, which amounts to ulmost a third of the entire production increase at the nation's aizin mines.

This is no small increase, the paper points out, and as yet these are but the first sleps in the development of the vast riches of the basin totalling over 600,000 million tonnes of coal; of which 140,000 million tonnes

HELPING THE PAMILY

According to the fatest all-Union census, there are about 06 million families in the USSR with over 75 million children and seenage is, withes IZVESTIA.

Since the very life days of its existence our state has provided families with ossistance on a planed and area expanding hash impenditure on pre-school children's extablishments has grown by twenty times in compatists in 1940.

Prolonged-day groups and schools, calering for extra-curriculum activities, summer camps for children and teenagers, incilitate the all-rounded development of the personality by ensuring a wide notwork of amoleur circles. All this helps parents in the upbringing of their

Paid malernity leave for mothers of children under one year old is being gradually introduced throughout the country. Jobs are kept for women 18 months after childbirth. Childbirth beautiful will be Will be raised, particularis for the second and third child. Mothers of live or more children are to receive better pensions while working molhers of two or more kids are to be given three additional days of paid annual leave. Ways are being sought of providing a shorter working day or a shorter working week for working mothers.

POLYTECHNICAL INSTITUTES: LOOKING FOR NEW SOLUTIONS

li is common knowledge that an engineer today needs not only to be well versed in lundamental sciences but should also have a perioci command of his field, writes Prof S, Sergoyev in PRAVDA.

The existing structure of polytechnical, industrial and other multipurpose colleges, however, puts serious ob-stacles in the way of training engineers in conformity with these requirements.

The time has come, says the professor, to review the number of specialities offered by general colleges and

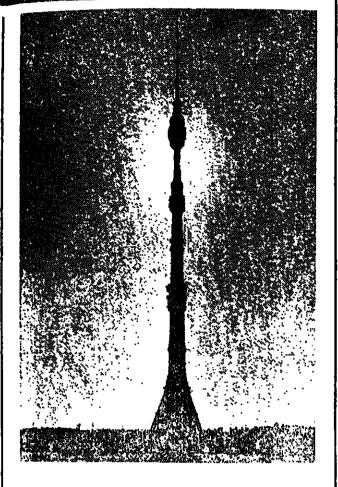
to reduce their numbers by distributing them among other institutions. For example, automobile transpot engineers would best be trained in one or two institutes having the appropriate teaching and laboratory facili-ties. This, of course, is no simple matter but in the final count it is a more efficient and advantageous solution to the problem than opening new institutes, departments or chairs, concludes Prof. Screeyev.

RUSSIAN CLASSICS ON THE MODERN STAGE

Changes are made to scores and whole fragmen and scenes are sometimes cut from classical operas and ballets, writes SOVIETSKAYA KULTURA: Directors seem to believe that only via such modifications, the conceptional depths and artistic merits of the work In question reach modern audiences, is this justified asks the paper.—The theatre should not, of course he a museum, or become guardian of classical heritage. The modern spirit, the performers personalities, their way of seeing. The modern spirit, the performers personalities, their way of seeing the modern spirit. way of seeing the world, invariably inligence the presentation of traditional musical images. Modern stage technology and the director's innovations make for interesting the contractions of the contractions of the contractions. for interesting crisic discoveries. But, stresses SOVIET-SKAYA KULTURA, innovations in the interpretation of classics should not interfere with the original concept they should not lead to unjustified treatment of the leaf to unjustified treatment of the lext, or to changes in tempo and in meaning. Norshould opera and ballet music be edited.

HOME NEWS

Places to visit



The Ostankino TV Tower

At a height of 533 metres the Ostankino TV Tower is Mostow's highest building. Despite its unusual size the Tower gives an impression of lightness and elegance, due to its high height-to-diameter ratio of 26:1. (The usual ratios for towers

The Tower was designed by Nikolal Nikilin, Doctor of Science (Techn) and Lenin Prize Winner. It consists of a ten storeyed building up to 337 metres high of which live storeys are built on cantilevers with the next five resting on them. The Tower contains a restaurant called "The Seventh Heaven", as well as a high aititude weather station which carries out research into the atmosphere. It is surmounted by a lightning-conductor connected to lightning-research units, The Tower's main function, however, is to hold numerous aerials for TV channels, radio broadcasting and radio-relay antennae con-

necting Moscow with the entire world,
On public holidays the Tower is lit up by 550 searchlights
which make it into a fantastic sight.

Cooperation between Moldavian and French schoolchildren

For their new film, "Jacques Prevent on the Screen" based on the French poet's verse for children, the children's Florichika (Flower) studio, in the city of kishinev, chose a bright selection of drawings done by five-year-olds from France.

The bright and feather statements

The bright and festive pictures ione by these young artists from the city of Perpignan to illustrate the rhyme, "When We Went Out of School", are a perfert match for the motto of our studio—"Give People Joy", says studio director V. Barba. The pictures will form part of the together with photographs of the artists themselves. Childien from Florichika will il-

OF INTEREST

Polyphonic records

It is difficult to imagine that a It is difficult to imagine that a group of young people would gather in a Moscow apartment to listen to a record-player made in the last contury. Called a polyphone, it is almost 90 years old and of Russian Grigin. Engineer Viadimir Aldokhin found it recently in the attic of an old house and brought it to Moscow. Aldokhin had a hard job getting to grips with the complex mechanics of the box — no sector. hanks of the box - no easier

than tackling a modern electronia circuit, but the first polyphonic concert has taken place just the same. '

lustrate the poet's "Winter Song for Children".

The cooperation between the young film-makers from the Moldavian capital and the children from a kindergarten in

Perpignan began with a showing

of twenty enimated cartoons made by Florichika duting the Days of the Soviet Union in France. Two of them, "The Cir-

cus" and "The Butterfly of Chatillion" based on French

rhymes and fairy tales, were in-

cluded in an international pro-

gramme compiled by young ameléur film-makers and based

tales and on the folklore of Bul-

garla, Poland, Britain, Holland,

and other countries.

True, the polyphone's reperlaire is not large: only 15 records. have been preserved while to make new recordings for the

make new recordings for the polyphobe is no easy job.

The polyphone itself is in exticulent condition. The clashy of sound is beyond reproach. The "Kuzneteov & Ga." who made the polyphohe can little kave suspected that their "nusia box's would have such a long lite.

Science and technology

A STATE FARM CUM LABORATORY

Scientists have taken over the Ivanovo state farm near the Uzhek capital of Tashkent. The farm acts as the hasis for the largest research centre in Central Asia devoted to the selection and growing of new high-yield varieties of maize and of other composite strains.
Hybrid seeds from the centre

will be sent in the first instance to the 18 new maize Prowing state farms established earlier this year. By the end of the five-year plan period (1985), these large specialized farms will phready be produc-ing selected seeds for 50,000 hectares. Ivanovo has plans to grow hybrid seed grain for 600,000 hectares, or twice the area now devoted to maize in Uzbekislan.

CAMPAIGN FOR PEACE AND QUIET

Staff at the Botanical Gardens of the Ukraine's Academy of Sciences have undertaken to provide prace and quiet in a new residential area of Dopotski now under construction. Included in their plans is a park to shield the blocks of flats from the noise of a giganhe fan installed nearby. The for supplies all to the Kandalmaya coal mine. Engineers have also made a contribution towards the "taining" of the fan by giving it a silencer.

The above is but one of the results that have been achieved since the campaign for peace and quiet came into effect in the Donetsk Region. The shops, cafes, and restaurants occupying the lower storeys of apartment houses were tested for noise levels. As a result, many noisy machines, as well as relrigerators, were either removed from the buildings or sound-

proofed. Most boilers were inken out of the lower floors. Noise maps have been com-piled for Donetsk, Kramatorsk and the other cities of the region. They indicate those points where noise levels need to be combatted as a priority.

AN UNKNOWN

ALPHABET

The joint efforts of Soviet linguists to decipher a mysterious inscription on a silver vessel have so far been in vain. The vessel was found in a king's tomb excavated from the foothills of the Tien Shan. it seems that we have slumbled upon an unknown alpha-bet, a TASS correspondent was told by Kemal Akishev, a Kazakh archaeologist, who dis-covered the inscribed vessel dating back to the 5th-4th centuries B.C.

The inscription was examined by notable Soviet experts of the Turkic, Runde, Sogdian, Aramic and other ancient languages of the world. Perhaps the mysterious alphabet is based on Aramic.

The inscription on the tilual vessel conslats of 26 characters about one millimetre thick willten in two lines. The charactors resemble the branches

of a tree devoid of leaves. Stateon characters in the Inscription are repeated. This li-dicates that we have here an example of alphabetic writing. it is surmised that the find belongs to the Sakes, the oneignt nomada tribes, which lived in today's South Kazaldistan and Soviet Central Asia.

A similar his ription written in the same alphabet was found in Afghan territory, where in the 2nd century B.C. the nomads overthrew the Greek-Baktrian Kingdom and afterwards established their own power and the famous Kuthan State.

The alphabet which still remains a mystery to linguists could have originated among Sakes political associations as their state was being formed.

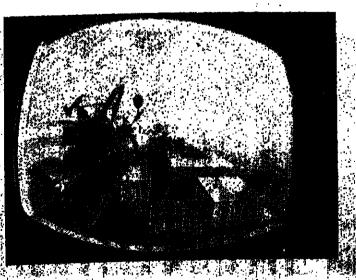
A CITY OF TALES IN TBILISI

A city populated by heroes from fairy tales has opened in Gidani, a new residential area In Thilis

This is the first such entertainment centre for children in the ancient Georgian city. Its cons-truction was sponsored by the local commission of deputies dealing with youth affairs. On their request architectural stu-dents designed the town which

happily combines fantasy and imagination and meets educational requirements. Local residents built the sports grounds, work-shops and hobby club for the

The experience of building a town for children has been ap-proved by the city Soviet's Exe-cutive. Now such towns will become a regular feature of all re-



The Port of Dudinks is the galeway for the Nortlek mining and steel combine. All the year round you can hear the noise of ganty cranes at the part, while tespeakers chapters by container ships should be Northern Sea Roule and the Yentset. These ships carry vital goods for the combine and for the residents of the Arctic arest.

In the photo: the "Yuri Dolgorhky" being unloaded at Desinka.

VIEWPOINT

OREIGN WORKERS N THE USSR



Adolf POLEKHIN

Several thousand vorkers are employed in the Vissa. They are at work in the Arkhangeisk Region, in the Komi Assa, in the vicinity of Kursk and Belgorod, in Kerelia, in the Vicinity of Supplemental Reservoyabiles. inolousk and Baranovichi. Kislovodsk and Vladimir. Alongside their Soviet colleagues they nino natural resources, build power projects and set up large agricultural complexes and en-

A large group of Bulgarians work on timber projects in the North and in the mines of the Kursk Magnetic Augmaly, Polish engineers and workers are en-gaged in the construction of the Kitneinitsky atomic power station. Hungarian and Czecholovak specialists operate a punher of botter complexes and grain elevators which are being bullt in accordance with their wit designs and technologies.

Most foreign specialists work here under integration projects coming within the framework of he Council for Mutual Francisle Assistance or under the term

of other multitateral and bilateral agreements. Projects built jointly in this way by the socialist countries serve the mutual interests of the parlicipating nations. All ensuing production is distributed in the CMEA countries in accordance with concluded agreements. This lype of Integration is being developed most intensively in St berla where other countries of the socialist camp help the So-viet Union build oil and gas pipelines, timber complexes and other projects. Many of the products and raw materials needed by these countries' economies are supplied to thom from the Soviet Union.

As example of such mutually

advantageous cooperation was the joint construction of the Soyuz international gas pipeline by seven CMBA countries: Bul garia, Hungary, the GDR Poland, Romania, Czechoslovskia and the Soviet Union. The Soyuz pipeline, which has recently gone into operation, will help make the fuel-energy balance of the fraternal countries more ef-

Let us take another example Let us take another example. The knowhow acquired by the Poles working on the Khmelnitsky atomic station will be of use to them back home where they soom start working on Polesci the Zarnow station.

Specialists from socialist countries are at work in the Soviet tries are at work in the Soviet Union and in Cube; in Hangary and Vicinam; in the GDR and Haigaria; in Mongolia and Romania. Riyembal asbestos and Ust-litimak pulp from the Soviet Union; Erdenal copper from Mongolia; Punta Gorda nickel from Cube; and the stonic kitowatis of Romoduli from Sulpania are produced at projects which have been minute built by the factors which have been minute built by the factors which have been minute built by the factors are produced at projects which have been minute built by the factors which have been minute built by the factors are produced at projects which have been minute built by the factors are produced at projects which have been minute built by the factors are produced as a produced as a produced as a project which have been made as a produced as a ration, our lifted and balling new stands, our lifted and taking new stands to satisfy the requirements of their economies the various haw materials and spersy, in loodstuffs and the products of

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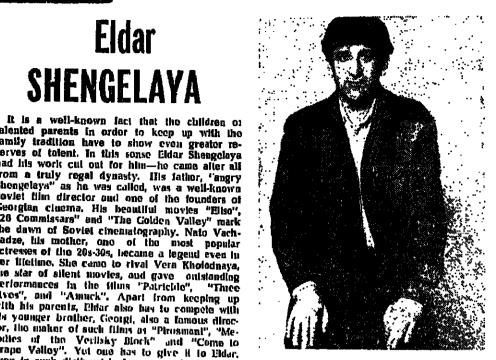
talented parents in order to keep up with the family tradition have to show even greater reserves of talent. In this sense Eldar Shengelaya serves of tolent. In this sonse Eldar Shengelaya had his work cut out for him—he came after all from a truly regal dynasty. His father, "angry Shengelaya" as he was called, was a well-known Soviet film director and one of the founders of Georgian cheema. His beautiful movies "Filso", "26 Commissars" and "The Golden Valley" mark the dawn of Soviet cinentatography. Nato Vachnadze, his mother, one of the most popular actresses of the 20s-30s, became a legend even in her lifetime. She came to rival Vera Kholodnaya, the star of silent movies, and gave autstanding performances in the films "Patricide", "Three fives", and "Amuck". Apart from keeping up with his parents, filder also has to compete with his younger brother, Georgi, also a famous direchis younger brother, Georgi, also a fomous direc-tor, the maker of such films as "Pirosmanl", "Me-lodies of the Verlisky Block" and "Come to Grape Valley", Yet one has to give it to Elder.

Grapo Valley". Yet one has to give it to Eldar, even in such distinguished company he has been able to forge a name for himself.

His artistic credo to set out in the film, "The Unusual Exhibition". The story of a sculptor who dreamed of sculpting "a white malden out of marble from Paros Island", but who, to keep himself in pockel, had to carve grave stones one more horific than another. The movie is both dramatic and lumny. The potential dramatic qualities of the plot become funny as seen against the comic outline of the theme. The way he sees everything through the prism of longhter—human everything through the prism of longhter-human triumphs and defeat, happiness and tragedy, despair and hope, passion and abstract philosophic calin—is typical of Eldar's artistic style, of his

vision of the world.

All Eldar Steengelaya's films (with the exception of his very early movies) are in the tragicomic genre, the mixture of lears and laughter



which is so popular in Georgia. Complex social and philosophic problems are hidden behind the fireworks of scenningly simple external events. The Dreamers' is a parable about an old eccentric who built something very close to a plane way back in the nineteenth contury. "Stepmother Samanishvill" is the story of a poor wretch who goes in search of a bride for his father—she has to be at least twice widowed and thus without the hazard of childron—in order that no new hetrs will appear. At present Eldar Shengelaya is at work on "The Blue Mountains or an Unlikely Story", a new traglcomedy, though this time with a contemporary theme. And in this he has posed himself a difficult task. For laughing at the present while trying to reform it is both a more complex and responsible job than laughing while taking a backward look at the past.

layaya to perform his new work

for the first time.

Bach forms a fundamental part

of the planist's repertoire. She

cartos in Moscow recently, cap-

tivating her audience with the vigour and freshness she brings

Tatyana Nikolayava has also

amerged as a talented composer.
For many years now. she has been teaching at the Moscow Conservatoire.

to the music.

Kirov company on French TV

Recently French TV ron a wo-hour concert programme called "Two Centuries of Ballet of the Kirov Company", a foint Soviet-French production commemoraling the bicentenary of Leningrad's Kirov Opera and Ballet Theatro.

The concort, a live telecast from Leningrad, gave the Fronch people a good insight into the life of the ballet company on the eve of its 75-day Paris tour, to start on April 17. The TV programme leatured scenes in-"Swan Lake", "La Bayada, "Parquita" and "Esmeralda",

The French and Russin schools of ballet have a leg history of fruitful cooperates and many French choreographe have mounted their best proto tions at the Kirov thesia; stressed Pierre Lacotte, charge raphor at the Grand Opera i Paris, who introduced the po-

MUSIC FOR FRIENDS

The Leningrad composer Sergei Stonimsky has called his new work for flute, violin and harpsichord "Musika Lyrika" after the name of the well-known Czechoslovak ensemble. He has given the ensemble the right of first performance of

The Czechs have reached a very high standard in chamber music, says the composer. So, I gladly accepted Musika Lytl-

ft was in Czechoslovalu twenty years ago, that Sions sky's music was performational for the first time in composer's flute piece and 1/2 for viola is in the repertore the Musika Nova ensemble while choreographer, Dail Vicner, is getting ready n stage Siontinsky's ballet "far-us" in Brao. The first periomone o will take place in My



and "The Lizard' or two of the production which the Mayakorak Theatre Company has showing in Yugoslasia ryhere il is laking part in a festira of minor experimental forms in Sur jevo. The photo show a scene from "The Ur ard", a play by the young Soviel dramal Alexander Volodi dealing with the history of human emily which leads entire at tions to catastrophe at destruction. The whole is permeated by

"The Bolls of Khaly

TEKHNOGRUZY-82 IN SOKOLNIKI

BUSINESS

The specialized Tehknogury 92 exhibition has recently come to an end at Moscow's Sokolniki Park, Its main objective was to display the latest tech-nology for safeguarding various cargoes on the road and in watchouses, etc. Taking part were companies from l'inland, Austria and Switzerland, Electronic monitoring and alarm systems, alarms for various uses, as well as seals, locks and lock-

ing devices were on show. Our company displayed TV Monitoring systems, video detectors, systems for the detection of moving objects even in lighting conditions of 0.1 lux, as well as systems for the transportation of preserved. portation of personnel, said Wladimir Krestjanoff, from the Finnish company of ASPO, Several of our TV monitoring sys-

CONCERT HALLS

Central Concert Hall (1 Moskvorelskaya Embankment, at the Rossiya Hotel). 10-11— Singer Lily Ivanova with pop

Grand Concert Hall at the Clympic Village. 10-11—Leningtal Theatre of Miniatures. "His Malesty the Theatre."

Majesty the Theatre", a pro-gramme featuring Arkady

EXHIBITIONS ...

ts, and pictures of

group (Bulgaria).

Moscow, for instance at the Cardiology Research Centre and at the Hippodrome, while the delivery of other systems is at present under discussion in Nioscow. This is the first time we have

exhibited in Moscow, said Erich Hauswirth from the Austilan firm of Kuhlsystem. We oro promoting containers for the delivery of fresh products with-out deep freezing and control systems for maintaining set atmospheres and temperatures in-side containers and in working premises. Our systems equipped with microprocessors are ideal for transporting fruit, vegetab-les, meat and fish, Strawberries, for instance, retain all their goodness and looks for up to 30 days in such containers, Wa

national Competition for the

"Soviet Woman" Prize. April 10,
4 p. m. April 11, 2 p. m.
Leading gymnasts from
Spain, Italy, Cuba, Poland,
France and the USSR compete for the traditional prize
offered by a popular magazine.

ICE HOCKEY

Krylya Sovietov Palace of Sport (10 Lavochking St). 10 --

news INTERNATIONAL

Scientists, experts, businessmen, representing various com-panies, chambers of commerce and associations, come to the

In 1982 intourist will cale; for loreign delegates to nearly 100 international congresses, symposiums, exhibitions and lates.

Friendly meeting. First national team v second national team. 6.30 p.m.

This training match takes place before Soviet hockey players' tour of Finland, where on April 15 the world SYNCHRONIZED

Olimpijsky Swimming Pool (Metro Prospekt Mira). 11 — Moscow championship. 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

RACING Hippodrome (22 Begovaya St).

11 — Racing and trotting. 1 p.m.

WEATHER

Exhibition Hell. Joint Com-biliteo of Book Designers (28 Ma-lays Gruzinskaya St). Spring ex-bibition by Moscow artists. Daily, except Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Metro Krasnopresnenskaya, Bye-lorusskaya. April 10-12 Cloudy with occasional aumebine. Brief showers and possibly sleet are expected. Night temperatures around 07, —8° to —6°C with clear skies; +3° to +7°C in the dayline. W and NW wind, 3 to 7 mps. Gasty wind expected early in the period,

have hopes of commercial success here for we have gained positive experience in other socialist countries (Hungary and Bulgaria) and have already seen that our products have aroused the interest of Soviet specialists. V. RYBCHONOK

AAJOR NEW CONTRACT

At the USSR Ministry for Foreign Trade, V/O Metallurg-mport has recently signed a outract with the Austrian

company of Vuest-Alpine and with Daniell & Co. of Italy, for the construction of a metallurg-ical plant in the Soviet Union

capable of producing 500 thousand tounes of small-scale section metal and wire, H. Apfal-

ter, chairman of Voest-Alpine, addressing local journalists, emuhasized the importance of the contact for Austrian industry.

for dozens of companies will be nvolved in the project. He believes that the outlook for his company in the Soviet Union is good; deliveries of pipes for the gas industry and imports of a number of major products from he Soviet Union are expected.

The Soviet Union and Laos are

cooperating on measures de-signed to solve the latter's eco-

In the photo: Soviet and Lao

experts working on a bridge over a tributary of the Mekong

SIGNED IN MOSCOW

Intourist

CONGRESSES IN THE USSR

soviet Union in growing num-bers to atlend all manner of in-ternational events annually held in all parts of this country.

Among these are such major events as the 11th World Congress of Cardiology and the 6th international "Khimiya-82" Exhibition (with an expected foreign altendance of 5,000 each), the international Biectrolechnical Equipment and Power Transmission Lines Exhibition and a loi

Apart from the main touris centres such as Moscow, Leningrad and Klov, the congresses will take place in the capitols of Union republics (Tbilis), Alma-Ala, Ashkhabad, Baka, Minsk, ing number of international events are to be held in towns like Suzdal, Kalinin and Krasnodar. This country has excellent congress facilities. For instance, the half of the Moscow Palace of Congresses seats 6,000 people of Congresses seats 6,000 people at a time and is equipped for simultaneous translation tatle 29 languages; the Oktyabrsky Grand Concett Hall in Leningrad seats nearly 4,000 and boosts of facilities for translation fate seven foreign languages; the Lenin Palace of Cultute is Alma-Ata seats 3,000 with simultaneous translation into six languages and the list goes on All new infourist hotels are equipped with moders are lerenge halfs seating 25-50 with smaller halfs seating 25-50 for group meetings.

group meetings

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SOVIET RAILWAYS



Nikolayeva takes Bach to Japan

Prof. Tatyana Nikolayeva, a leading Soviet planist, is leaving for a tour of Japan which will take her to cities all over the country. During the tour, which will last for the whole of April. Nikolaveva will mainly play

Nikolayeva's major success, her being awarded first prive at

FACTS

and EVENTS

fugues. It is hardly surprising that he asked Tatyona Niko-"Portrait by an unknown artist of the German school", also in

the Bach contest in Leipzig in

1950, was linked with this com-poser's name. Her interpretation

of "The Well-Tompered Clavier"

was so inspiring that it stimulated Dmitry Shoslakovich, a

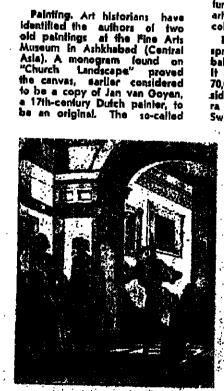
meunber of the jury, to work on

A cycle of 24 preludes and

Festivals. The traditional spring festival of opera and ballet has ended in Novosibirsk.

golia and the Bolshoi Theatre.
Sooks. "Dostoyevsky as a thinker" is the title of a new series of books to be published in Yugoslavia. The influence of the great writer's work upon the development of Russian and world literature is the main theme of the series. the museum's possession, has furned out to be by a Dutch artist of the same period, Fran-

It attracted audiences of over 70,000. Local artists performed aida by side with leading opera and ballet soloists from theme of the series. Dostoyevsky's 160th anniversary was marked in Yugoslavia by the publication of a 20-volume edition of his works.





The "Sock Engrayings" exhibition, which has recently opened in Moscow, covers a wide variety of material ranging from Hustrations to Soviet, Russian and foreign classics to special editions and popular sci-ti works. About 1900 Hustrations by Moscow eritsts, including engrayings by V. Pavorsky, A. Bill, D. Bisti, the well as works by the younger generation, are on view. The exhibition is on at the USSR Artists. The mandate A. College, T. Smollett, 17The Heinstein of Mandata A. College, 17The Mandata A. Colle

Union Exhibition Part at 25, Gorky 21. In the photon A. Golitsyn, T. Smollett: "The Exhaultion of Humphry Clinker", 1976, T. Tolstayn, Charles de Costars "Thy? Ulenaplegel", 1979,

WHAT'S ON!

April 10-12

__ THEATRES ___ THEATRES

Kremlin Pelace of Congresses (Kremlin). 10 (mat), 11 (mat), 12 — Concerts by the Moleeyev Folk Dance Ensemble, Bolshoi Theatre performances: 10 (eve)

Rossini, 'The Barber of Seville" (opera). 11 (eve)—Borodin, "Prince Igor" (opera).

Bolshol Theatre (Sverdlov Sq). 10 — Puccini, "Tosca" (opera). 11 (mat) — Dargomyzhsky, "The Stone Guest" (opera);
11 (eve) — Molchanov, "Macbeth" (ballet).

Stanislavsky and Nemirovich-Danchenko Musical Theatre (17 Pushkinskaya St.) 10 — Double-bill: Tchaikovsky, "Iolantha" (opera); Tchaikovsky, "Francesca da Rimini" (baliet). ii (mat) — Vainberg, "The Golden Key" (baliet); 11 (eve) — Shchedrin, "Not Love Alone" (opera). 12 — Adam, Delibes, "Corsaire" (baliet).

Operetta Theatre (6 Poshkin-akaya St). 10 (mat) — Feltaman, "Let the Cultar Play"; 10 (eve)

Kalman, "Martiza". 11 (mat. 48)

— Double-bill: Cassgranta
"Pinocchio's Adventura":
Khrennikov, "Kide from Orl
Backyard" (one-act ballets: 11
(eve)—Ziv, "Messieus Artist".
12—Lehar, "The Merry Wides".
Chamber Musical Thears (il

Exhibition Hall, RSFSR Artists trains (17 Zholtovskogo St).

Muscovites on Moscow"—an exhibition of portraits of Moscow residents and pleasures of Leningradsky Prospekt). 10,
—Double-bill: Haydn, "il di
tore"; Rossini, "La cambiate matrimonio" (comic operat the streets and aquares of our capital; some corners of old Mos-__ FILMS___ ow as well as new districts. Daily, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Metro Mayakovskaya. Trolley Metro Mayakovskaya. Trolley-luses 1, 12, 20,

Confidence Means Responsible lity (Hungary) The film is set in Badars In the autumn of 1941 Per ducor Zoltan Patri.

Cinema: "Zaryadya" (i Mak voretskaya Embankment). Melo Ploshchad Nogina. Melancholy Baby (France).

About the attempts of a rich woman to change her more nous and dull life.

Cinems: "Live" 729 Longer sovsky Prospekt): Metro Universitet.

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RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS Lenin Central Stadium, Druzhba Sporte Gym. 10, 11 - Inter-

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